· IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

In re Application of Nippon Mektron Kabushiki Kaisha Published: May 28, 2002

a/k/a Nippon Mektron, Ltd.

Serial No.: 75-610,824

Filed: December 22, 1998

Mark: MEKTEC

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THIRD REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE OPPOSITION

Pursuant to 37 CFR §2.102, the undersigned potential opposer, Auto Supplies International Ltd. (f/k/a Mecatech UK Limited), through its counsel, respectfully requests an extension of time to file an opposition to the above-referenced application, which was published in the *Official Gazette* on May 28, 2002. Auto Supplies International Ltd. is a private limited company incorporated under the Companies Act 1985 of England and has its principal place of business in Aylesbury, Buckinghamshire, England.

This request is the third request for an extension made by potential opposer with respect to the above-referenced application. Potential opposer requests that the time for filing an opposition be extended for an additional period of thirty (30) days, to and including September 27, 2002. We, as counsel for the potential opposer, have contacted counsel for the applicant. We are in the process of discussing a possible agreement between the parties that would resolve our concerns without the need for an opposition proceeding. We respectfully request that you find the foregoing to constitute good cause to grant this request for a third extension of time.

This request is made in triplicate, as required by 37 CFR §2.102(d).

Dated at Burlington, Vermont this 23rd day of August, 2002.

Respectfully submitted,

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Third Request for Extension of Time to File Opposition

Dear Assistant Commissioner:

On behalf of Auto Supplies International Ltd. (f/k/a Mecatech UK Limited), enclosed please find the following items related to the above-referenced trademark application:

- 1. One original and two photocopies of the Third Request for Extension of Time to File Opposition; and
- 2. Self-addressed, stamped postcard listing the items enclosed and requesting confirmation of receipt.

Very truly yours,

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GEH:sdf Enclosures

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